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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Sunday mostly cloudy and cold with rain or snow in the late afternoon or evening.

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AMERICAN 3D ARMY RUMBLES NEARER TO SAARBRUECKEN

Rich Saar Basin is Threatened As The Yanks Advance

RESISTANCE IS STIFF

Nazis Driven From City In Swift Push Through Strasbourg

By International News Service

The American Third Army rumbled forward into Germany today, threatening the rich Saar Basin and its key city of Saarbruecken.

Lieutenant Gen. George S. Patton's armored spearheads hammered in the direction of the city from the north and south. Enemy resistance stiffened, but Third Army units seized the towns of Ueberkinger, Hassenbourg and Remering, 12 to 14 miles below Saarbruecken, and 20 miles north of the city scored further gains near Kesseling and Merzig.

South of the Third Army sector, the Allies hurriedly celebrated the liberation of historic Strasbourg and rushed on with the business of completing the eviction of Germans from eastern France.

In a swift push through the streets of Strasbourg, Brig. Gen. Jacques LeClerc's French units and elements of the American Seventh Army drove the Nazis out of the city. The French tri-color freely fluttered from the public buildings, and Strasbourg once again was fully in French hands.

Front line dispatches indicated that LeClerc's force, attached to the Seventh Army, fanned out from the city to battle for bridgeheads across the Rhine River into the Reich. One report stated the French actually had crossed the Rhine and prevented the Nazis from destroying a bridge that can be used in hurling the great border river.

The Seventh Army Yanks, in the meantime, drove southward from Strasbourg while the French First Army came north from the Mulhouse area. The two armies sought to effect a junction on the west bank of the Rhine. Their fusion would close the jaws of a giant pincer upon an estimated 50,000 Germans in the Vosges Mountain area.

North on the western front, the Allied offensive thundered forward, but progress was relatively slow. The weather was bad. Enemy resistance was stubborn.

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Senate To Probe Cigarette Shortage

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The Senate War Investigating Committee decided today to look into the cigarette shortage.

A preliminary exploration will start immediately and the committee will decide next week whether to sanction a full-dress inquiry into the scanty supply of smokes available for fighting men overseas and workers in the United States.

The investigation was suggested by Senator Homer Ferguson (R., Mich.), who declared "the shortage is a blow at the war effort when it hits the boys at the front."

Seaman 2/c and Mrs. Richard Culbertson are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son on Wednesday in Burlington County Hospital, Mt. Holly, N. J. The baby weighed 8 lbs. 7 ozs. and has been named Richard William, Jr. Mrs. Culbertson is the former Ruth Weller, of Edgely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Weller, of Wrightstown, N. J., with whom she is making her home for the duration.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.

AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY

BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings

Maximum 35°

Minimum 28°

Range 7°

Hourly Temperatures

8 a. m. yesterday 28

9 29

10 32

11 34

12 noon 36

1 p. m. 38

2 38

3 38

4 37

5 36

6 34

7 33

8 32

9 32

10 33

11 33

12 midnight 33

1 a. m. today 32

2 30

3 30

4 29

5 29

6 29

7 29

8 31

P. C. Relative Humidity 71

Precipitation (inches) 0

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 11.58 a. m.

Low water 6.33 a. m.; 6.58 p. m.

UP-TO-PRESS-TIME WAR BULLETINS

(By International News Service)

YANKS HOLD FIRM BRIDGEHEAD ACROSS SAAR

With the U. S. Third Army—American Third Army elements today held a firm bridgehead across the Saar River in the Postroff-Baerendorf area some 27 miles south of Saarbruecken.

High ground is in American hands in this area. German troops pulled out of Petersbach after failing in a counter-attack yesterday.

Numerous enemy attempts to drive the Americans back across the Saar have failed. Three tanks led one enemy counter-thrust with infantry at dawn today and scuttled away under American fire. The entire foot-hold area remains under constant German artillery fire and fighting continues in most sectors.

The town of Butzdorf, three miles inside Germany and south of the Luxembourg border, was cleared out and five pill-boxes captured. Prisoners disclosed that civilians in Saarburg have been ordered to evacuate the town by noon today.

BATTLE OF AACHEN REGION ROARS TO A CLIMAX

London—The German High Command asserted today that the defensive battle in the Aachen region is roaring to a climax, with the Americans allegedly throwing in fresh reserves "to make up their heavy losses." These units were used in the sector between Geilenkirchen and Eschweiler, the communiqué claimed.

It alleged that the doughboys were thrown back in fierce counter-attacks and claimed that in the dense Hurtgen Forest the Yanks were pinned down in bitter tree-to-tree fighting.

The enemy high command asserted that German troops still are fighting in the ancient fortresses of Metz but admitted strong pressure north of Belfort on the Alsace-Lorraine border.

Apart from London and Antwerp, the area of Liege was particularly heavily attacked during the day and night by German long-range weapons," the communiqué added.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

WILL RE-CALCULATE INSURANCE BENEFITS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

CLEANED BY SCRIBES

Election of officers featured the meeting of Richland Grange on Wednesday, when Walter Landis was elected to head this farmers' organization for the coming year. He will succeed Albert Shaffer, who has served as master for the past two years.

Other officers elected are as follows: Overseer, Marvin Rosenberger; lecturer, Mrs. Emily Clymer; steward, Norman Clymer; assistant steward, Erwin Miller, Jr.; chaplain, Charles Whaland; treasurer, C. T. Loux; secretary, Mrs. Laura Loux; gatekeeper, Alfred Blough; Ceres, Miss Loretta Shipher; Pomona, Miss Havella Rosenberger; Flora, Miss Jennie Benner; lady assistant steward, Miss Margaret Landis; pianists, Mrs. Erwin Miller, Sr., and Miss Harriet Shaffer; member of executive committee, Homer S. Wentz; member of finance committee, Robert M. Landis, and business agent, S. T. Hilpolt.

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Yardley Canteen Is Set Up Permanently

YARDLEY, Nov. 25.—The Yardley School Door Canteen was set up on a permanent basis during the past week after six weeks of temporary operation.

Permanent officers and members of the executive board are: J. C. Longstreet, director; Mrs. Harold Curtis, secretary; William Glatz, treasurer; G. Warren McKee, Lions Club; Mrs. Kinsey Dickel, senior Civic Club; Mrs. Natalie Taylor, junior Civic Club; Mrs. Samuel Allen, WCTU; William Glatz, PTA; Mrs. H. N. Curtis, St. Andrew's Service League; Michael Derrick, community centre; William Jennings, Methodist Church; Miss Helen McCarthy, American Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. Fannie Thomas, community civic club; Patricia Costello, seventh grade; Elaine Batt, eighth grade; Martha Bennett, ninth grade; Jerry Antes, tenth grade; Ruth Jackson, 11th grade; Fay Yarborough, 12th grade; Miss Sue Hillson and Mrs. Second Sabatini, Mrs. John Leo.

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Double Celebration Is Held At DiTulio Home

A Thanksgiving dinner was served at the DiTulio home, 836 Beaver street, in honor of Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Kenney. Mrs. Kenney was the former Margaret DiTulio.

Later in the evening a birthday party was held for Cpl. Kenney.

The following guests attended: Sgt. John Valpatic, Cpl. Robert Manning, Cpl. Jeffery Jones, Cpl. Yorger, Cpl. Grone, the Misses Elsie Welsman, Dorothy Wright, Catherine West, Leonora Favorska, Grace and Mary Caro; Mr. and Mrs. Second Sabatini, Mrs. John Leo.

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DON'T BE LATE!

The Courier reserves the right to reject copy for display advertising which is received later than two days previous to the day of publication. This rule is now effective and will be in force until after January 1st and may be extended.

All display advertising copy for insertion in The Bristol Courier must be at the Courier office not later than 12 o'clock noon, two days previous to the day of publication. This rule is now effective and will be in force until after January 1st and may be extended.

This rule is made necessary in order to give the mechanical department ample time in which to set the advertisement, and properly illustrate it. It is hoped that advertisers will cooperate and make reservations for space desired, and furnish their copy on time.

Copy will not be accepted after the expiration of the deadline announced above.

COURIER MANAGEMENT.

Linen Gift Shower Is Tendered To A Bride

EDGELY, Nov. 25.—A surprise linen shower was tendered Mrs. Donald E. Worrell, the former Miss Olive Johnson, of Bristol, Monday evening, at the home of Arlene Reynolds, here.

Games were played and refreshments were served, with miniature trifles favors in pink and blue attractively arranged on the table.

Those attending: the Misses Clara Pleo, Rose Accardi, Julie Juliania, Lois Layng, Marie Solt, Norma Kerr, Theresa Ferry, and Mrs. W. Reynolds.

STANLEY TWINING IS NOW GRANGE MASTER

Elected to Succeed Herman Heston at Session in Langhorne

DELEGATES CHOSEN

LANGHORNE, Nov. 25.—A new master was chosen for Middletown Grange this week. He is Stanley Twining, who succeeds Herman Heston, Sr. Mr. Heston had been master of the organization for the past three years.

The program of "Gifts for the Yanks who Gave" is sponsored by Eddie Cantor, radio and screen star, and is being directed through American Legion posts, the posts acting as depository agents for the gifts. The Legion guarantees that the gifts will all reach wounded veterans.

As the time is limited the gifts must be received by Friday, December 1st, at Bracken Post, No. 382, American Legion.

Gifts will be given to the Yanks who gave so much. And they will receive a measure of Christmas cheer as they lie on their hospital cots or recuperate in their wheelchairs.

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**GUEST EVANGELIST
TO ATTEND SERVICE****Will Address Children At
The Church of The
Nazarene****HOURS OF WORSHIP**

A visiting evangelist will address children in the Sunday School rally at the Church of the Nazarene, Wood street, near Mulberry, tomorrow at ten a.m. Tomorrow evening will be the final service in the revival campaign, announces the pastor, the Rev. John W. Maybury, this service opening at 7.45 o'clock.

Other services will include morning devotions at 11, with message by the Rev. John W. Maybury, of Hanover, entitled "The Highway of Holiness"; young people's group, seven p.m., special speaker, Mrs. Mildred Maybury, evangelistic service, 7.45 p.m., sermon "The Seven Wonders of Hell"; special music and singing at all services.

Thursday evening, prayer service at 7.45 p.m.

St. James' P. E. Church

Services for Sunday: eight a.m., Holy Communion; 9.30 a.m., Church School and Bible classes; 10.45, morning prayer and sermon.

Mother's Guild meets on Tuesday in the parish house. The

every-member canvas is in progress, and there is every assurance that the national quota will be met.

The reason for this prediction of success is in the record. Between May, 1944, and September, 1944, the American people bought and kept \$33,687,000,000 of War Bonds, the amount being the current redemption value. This success is a tribute to the savings instinct and patriotism of the people. There is no reason to believe that they are any less interested in savings or that their patriotism has abated. So it seems to be fair to forecast the success of the current campaign.

But much of the credit must be given to the War Bond sales organization. It has learned how to appeal to the people not only to buy within the ordinary limits of their capacity, but, at times, to advance into the sacrifice zone. It has educated them to the demands of the war for money, and it has devised such a variety of sales plans that nearly any one can find a plan to fit into his budget.

The Treasury has backed up the organization by issuing a variety of bonds and stamps and by persuading corporations and individuals to finance advertising campaigns which carry a strong appeal to the people.

Much is said about the investment and savings advantages of these bonds, but the great reason for buying them is to hasten the day of victory. The war effort which is being carried on at such great sacrifice on the battle fronts needs the money, and that is reason enough to buy the limit.

TOUGH ON THE NAZIS

Dark as the military picture appears for the Nazis, they are face to face with a fact still more distasteful to the true Hitlerite mind. They have been told by Herbert Backe, minister for food and agriculture, that Germany must now depend upon her own food resources, that food taken by Germany from vast areas outside her own borders during the last five years was no longer available. The tone of Backe's address was described by London as gloomy.

Regardless of the conclusions at which economists may arrive upon hearing Backe's appraisal of Germany's position in regard to food, the announcement should have a deteriorating effect upon Nazi morale.

It has been apparent ever since Hitler seized Austria in 1938 that the Nazis did not intend to depend entirely on the Reich to wage the great wars in which they became engaged. One can understand what distress a Nazi must feel when he is reduced to eating food raised in Germany, and cannot have the satisfaction of knowing that his food has been filched from the starving Greeks or Poles.

The good old days when the clerk insisted they were cheaper if you took a whole carton.

7.45, evangelistic service, congregational hymn sing with young people's orchestra, the pastor will speak on the subject: "Are the Fires of Hell Real?"

Tuesday, 7.30 p.m., fellowship hour broadcast over station WTNJ; Wednesday, 1.30 p.m., women's missionary society will meet; Thursday, 7.30 p.m., weekly Gospel service conducted for the Jamaicans at King Farm; Friday, eight p.m., choir rehearsal.

Bristol Presbyterian Church

The Rev. Edward Gearhart Yeomans, pastor-elect, Nov. 26th: 9.45 a.m., Church School, Adrian Busta, superintendent; 10 a.m., men's Bible class, Rufus King, president; 11, morning worship service with sermon by the Rev. Mr. Yeomans, "Christ's Love for His Church" will be the theme; seven p.m., meeting of young people in the primary room. As this meeting is for the purpose of organizing and setting up plans for young peoples' work all young people of high school age invited to attend.

Announcements—Informal meeting of the Session at the manse on Monday evening, eight o'clock; Ladies' Guild will hold its meeting on Tuesday evening, eight o'clock; preparatory service for communion in the primary room, Wednesday evening, at eight; senior choir meets for their rehearsal on Thursday evening at eight; Junior Christian Endeavor, Friday afternoon, at four, all children of the junior people's choir will meet for rehearsal on Friday afternoon, at four.

Wednesday, Senior Girl Scouts, at seven p.m.; Tuesday, Intermediate Girl Scouts at seven p.m., Harriman Men's Brotherhood meets eight o'clock at the church, an interesting and varied program has been planned, there will be a representative from Rohm and Haas Co., to speak and to show motion pictures. This will be followed by recreation and refreshments.

Wednesday, prayer meeting at eight, "Habakuk"; Thursday, special meeting of fourth quarterly conference at 7.30 p.m., the Rev. Albert Witwer, district superintendent, will preside; teachers' meeting, eight o'clock; Friday, Boy Scouts, 6.30 p.m., choir rehearsal at eight.

Harriman Methodist Church

Sunday, Sunday School, 10 a.m., Mrs. W. C. Boyer will give a message to the school and will teach the Junior Bible Class; morning worship, 11.15 a.m., "The Enduring Word"; Intermediate Youth Fellowship, seven p.m., all youths between the ages of 12 and 15 are welcome; this week the topic will be given by Evelyn Crosby; evening worship, eight, "The Gospel of Service."

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First Baptist Church

The Rev. L. Clark, Th. M., pastor; Bible School, providing free bus transportation, 9.45 a.m.; morning worship, 11 o'clock, Sunday School, eight evening service.

Thursday at four p.m., Christian Endeavor; eight p.m., prayer meeting; Friday, 7.30, Young People; 8.30, choir.

Calvary Baptist Church

The Rev. Lehman Strauss, pastor; Sunday, 9.45 a.m., Bible School, free bus transportation; 11, morning worship, message by the pastor, "Is the Soul Conscious After Death?" 6.45 p.m., prayer group; seven, intermediate and senior young people's societies will meet;

Announcements: Tuesday, junior choir at seven p.m.; Wednesday, praise, Bible study and prayer service; 8.30, choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carey entertained Mr. Carey's daughter,

Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Pickersgill, Mrs. J. Widdows and Mrs. W. G. Pickersgill spent last week in Memphis, Tenn., visiting Warren G. Pickersgill, S. 2/c.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edelman attended the funeral of Mr. Edelman's sister-in-law in Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Kiwi underwent an operation on Monday in the Presbyterian Hospital, Philadelphia.

Mr. George L. Smith, Jr., U. S. N. R., is expected home for a few days' visit. He is stationed in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack James entertained at Thanksgiving dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woolven, Haddon Heights, N. J.; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weston and children, Mount Weston, N. J.

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<p>After Moss, M. O. M. 3/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Never street, has returned to New York following two weeks leave spent with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Michael, Ship- pensburg, are spending Thanksgiving vacation with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Les- ter P. Michael, Radcliffe street. "Bilby" Hewins, Frackville street, Academy, Stratford, N. J., is spend- ing Thanksgiving vacation with his son, Captain Francis M. McNamee must be submitted in writing. TO ARRANGE FOR PUBLICATION OF Courtier, Bristol 446, notify him at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.</p>	
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<p>IN THIS STANDING they become engaged in North know. A chronicle of the activi- ties of the people of Bristol; mainly about people you and they became engaged in North and Jackson Hodge, of Oklahoma, both were stationed in North Africa. Capt. Tomlinson is a grad- uate of New Hope high school, class of 1935.</p>	
<p>In a Personal Way - - - *****</p>	

Will Re-Calculate Insurance Benefits

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Due to their return to work, will benefit from the Board's decision in the Philadelphia area.

To prevent confusion or misunderstanding, Mr. Pease issued the following cautions:

(1) Increased benefits will be available only to workers 65 or older, who have claimed benefits and who subsequently have worked in jobs covered by the Social Security Act, and, generally, at higher pay than their former average monthly wage. The benefit amounts of widows, orphans or aged parents whose benefits were based on wages up to the time of an insured worker's death, cannot be changed.

(2) Benefits will be re-calculated upon request of beneficiary.

(3) The announcement does not mean that any person may receive benefits while working in jobs covered by the law. The law provides that benefits must be suspended for any month in which the beneficiary makes more than \$14.99 on a covered job.

(4) There is no need for anybody who has been working in covered employment after he filed a claim to ask for a re-computation of his benefits as long as his pay stays as high as his average monthly wage between January 1, 1937 and the date he filed his claim. On the other hand, if his pay starts going down—as a result of illness, reduced hours, loss of his job or for any other reason—the worker who is 65 or older should consult the nearest office of the Social Security Board at once.

The Kensington field office of the Social Security Board is located at 3267 Kensington Avenue, Philadelphia 34, Pennsylvania. A representative is at the Bristol Post Office on the second and last Thursday of the month from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

In time, Mr. Pease pointed out, the new ruling will prove beneficial to many workers who attain age 65 and face the possibility that reduced pay, no matter what the cause, may result in reduced benefits. In the past, he said, some of these workers have chosen to "freeze" their benefits amounts by filing a claim, even though they intended to keep on working. That protected them against any drop in the benefit, but it also prevented any increase. The net effect is that a worker, upon reaching 65, may "per" his benefit so that it will not be reduced but can be increased on the basis of his future work record.

COMMUNICATIONS

11-24-44

Editor, Courier:

Being one of the spectators at the Bristol high school football game Thanksgiving Day, with such a wonderful crowd on hand, it seems a pity that we here in Bristol cannot afford to have a decent field. There is plenty of space at the high school field to put it in a first-class school field. It sure was a shame for Bristol to have those boys play on a muddy field such as it was Thursday. It rained on Tuesday and here it was Thursday, the field still muddy, and then there was no effort made to throw a little dirt or sand in those mud holes. Let's hope that the authorities will look forward and remedy this situation.

BRISTOL ROOTER.

Editor, Courier:

I was a spectator at the football game Thursday played at Bristol high school field between the Bristol high school team and the Moravian high school team. I enjoyed the game. There was a wonderful crowd, the weather was ideal, the two bands were liberal with their music and the interest and enthusiasm of the crowd was all that could be desired.

The field was atrocious, the system of admittance and exit were terrible, one small gate to admit 2000 people and then after the game all of the other gates were kept locked and the 2000 people had to squeeze through the one small gate.

I also noticed that the high school did not display the flag from the school building staff.

These complaints may sound like a grouch but I think they are worthy of noting so that improvement will be made for games in the future.

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Mrs. Herman Wilcocks spent 11 days in Memphis, Tenn., where she visited her husband, Herman Wilcocks, U. S. Navy, who was stationed there. Mr. Wilcocks was transferred to Seattle, Wash.

PFC Henry Lineman is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lineman, Sr.

Miss Julie Horton, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zeller, Baltimore, Md., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Benneman. While

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presented at the meeting on December 4th.

Nancy Koch, aged 2, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Koch, Quakertown R. D. 2, was admitted to the Quakertown Community Hospital to receive treatment for abrasions of the forehead, legs and hands she received when she fell from an automobile between Pleasant Valley and Applebachsville.

Miss Martha Leighton, State College, spoke to the Middle Bucks County Senior Extension Club at the Grange Hall at Plumsteadville, Wednesday evening, on "Courtesy."

Miss Leighton's definition of courtesy was "To do to say the kindest things in the kindest way." She also pointed out that courtesy happens most often when individuals are in a hurry or are embarrassed, and that courtesy begins at home. "If you want good manners when you are out, you must practice them at home," she warned.

In her opinion, Emily Post should not be followed closely; that it is better to do the things that will make the situation run most smoothly.

At the conclusion of her talk, members of the club were selected to dramatize different courtesy rules.

It was announced by the president, Harrison Myers, that there will be an exchange of gifts at the next meeting which will be held at Chalfont Grange Hall, and also the election of officers for the coming year.

NEWPORTVILLE

Mrs. Frank Smith, Fergusoneville, has received a telegram that her son, Sgt. Frank Smith, has been removed from a Naval hospital in the mouth of Riga Gulf.

On the Pacific war fronts, General Douglas MacArthur announced in the Philippines that a Japanese destroyer and two troop transports, seeking to reinforce Leyte Island, have been sunk in Ormoc Bay. Another Japanese transport was driven to the beach in flames. It was estimated the enemy lost at least 4,500 men in this series of sinkings resulting from American air force strikes.

Fierce ground fighting continued on Leyte Island with American infantrymen cutting out hard won gains in the Ormoc corridor. Driving south to Ormoc, the 32nd Division crossed Leyte River and repulsed Japanese counter-attack.

A sharp increase was noted in Japanese air activity at Leyte, but the enemy lost 42 planes in trying to attack American positions.

The smashing American B-29 raid on Tokyo continued to highlight Pacific war news with the disclosure in Washington that heavier and more devastating attacks are being planned for the Japanese capital. Brig. Gen. Haywood S. Hansell, Jr., commander of the new 21st Bomber Squadron that carried out the mission to Tokyo, expressed it this way:

"From now on, Japan will bleed internally."

Radio Tokyo spent most of its time on the air making a nearly endless series of understatements to convince the Japanese citizenry that the Superfortresses were "not able to achieve much of anything" after all. The crudity of Japanese radio audiences immediately became a matter of conjecture.

War Fund Appeal

Is Renewed Here

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community for local charity work. This should prove to be a great incentive to contribute.

Those who have not as yet given may do so by forwarding their donations to Ralph Ratcliffe, treasurer, and the contributions may be sent in care of the Farmers National Bank of Bucks County.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Stover were admitted as members. They formerly were affiliated with Kellogg's Church Grange.

There will be no meeting on Monday evening, but on Tuesday evening the men of the Grange will give a dinner to the women at the Great Swamp Grange hall, Sparta, as their treat for winning the recent attendance contest.

A Thanksgiving program will be

there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Zeller's son Richard, who is a patient in the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Bartholomai entertained at a family dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haenle and children, Jean Elsie and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bartholomai and daughter Eleanor, Philadelphia; and Mrs. Karl Marterer and sons William and Fritz.

Mrs. Anna Martindale, who has been very ill, is improving nicely at her home.

Mrs. Martha Echerarria, having sold her house, will make her home in New York.

Petitions are being circulated in Croydon to have the mail delivered on every street which has enough homes occupied.

FALLSINGTON

At the bake sale Saturday, given for the Falls Township Fire Company, \$130 was realized.

Mrs. Charles M. Headley, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wright and Miss Elsie Parker were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Woodruff, Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Satterthwaite and daughter, Thelma, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Satterthwaite and children, Thelma Anne and Claire Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and daughter Evelyn Mae, were dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Satterthwaite of Bristol.

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Books—Same as for G. I. Joe—add fancy letter paper.

Toiletries—Hair combs and brushes, nice soaps, dusting and face powders, cologne, lipsticks, rouge, deodorants, good sun glasses, cleansing tissues, nail polish and remover, manicure sets, compacts and permanent wave sets, pancake makeup, makeup mirrors, bath towels and wash cloths, etc.

Notions—Bobby pins, hair pins, hair nets, clothes pins, skirt hangers, khaki zippers, elastic by the yard, safety pins, cellophane bags, yarn and sewing equipment.

Things to Wear—Sleeveless sweaters, tee shirts, nice handkerchiefs, billfolds, good quality sex, bedroom slippers.

For the Smoker—Pipes, tobacco, lighters, cigarettes, cigars, pipe cleaners and tobacco pouches.

Miscellaneous—Pocket knives, identification bracelets, good sun glasses, wash cloths, etc.

FOR G. I. JOE

Books—Mysteries, classics, Bibles, dictionaries, Westerns, humor, no war stories; maps of the U. S. A. and the world; pocket size books best.

Stationery and Games—Games, playing cards, checker boards, chess sets, cribbage sets, folding writing pads, air mail stationery, a few air mail stamps, fountain pens, pencils, pencil sharpeners, address books, picture folders, stands.

Toiletries—Good quality razor blades, toilet kits, hair conditioners, pocket combs, foot powders, lotions, shaving soaps, bath towels, soap, cleansing tissue, bath towels.

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Each Package Should Be Carefully Marked for G. I. Joe or G. I. Jane

Let's get busy and get those packages stored now. We can make these boys and girls happy. The Legion never fails and we certainly are equipped to do this job and make this Christmas a memorable one.

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